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THE HISTORY LECTURE SERIES
FALL 2008



SOCIAL SCIENCE LECTURE

PROFESSOR MICHAEL G. KAMMEN
Newton C. Farr Professor of American History and
Culture, Cornell University

**“Visual Shock: When & Why American Art
Sparks Controversy”**

Tuesday, October 7, 2008 1:30-3:00 pm

**WSU Stewart Library, 2nd Floor
Hetzel-Hoellein Room**

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WEBER STATE UNIVERSITY

WATER IN THE WEST SERIES

presents:

PROFESSOR LEHI HINTZE

Monday, September 22, 2008

7:00-9:00 PM

Weber State University Alumni Center*

"Historical Geology of Utah and the Creation of the
Green and Colorado Rivers"

Lecture will cover the evolution of Utah's landscape from the Precambrian Era to the present followed by a discussion on how these landscape changes created and altered the Green and Colorado Rivers.

PROFESSOR DONALD E. WORSTER

Joyce and Elizabeth Hall Professor of U.S. History, University of Kansas

Wednesday, October 22, 2008

7:00-9:00 pm

WSU Stewart Library 2nd floor, Hetzel-Hoellein Room

"The True Wealth of Nations: Theodore Roosevelt and the American Conservation Ethic"

This election year, like so many others, brings up the name of Theodore Roosevelt as a model of presidential leadership on environmental matters. But it's not always clear today what Roosevelt stood for or accomplished and how he might serve as a model. His legacy is great and profound, but also more complicated and disturbing than candidates or voters may realize. That legacy now raises many questions. We need to understand this president's ideas on conservation better and ask whether they are still relevant today.

DR. HAL CRIMMEL, Department of English, Weber State University

DR. ERIC C. EWERT, Department of Geography, Weber State University

Monday, November 17, 2008

7:00-9:00 pm

Weber State University Alumni Center*

"The View from the River: A Writer and a Geographer Raft the Grand Canyon"

Discussion and slide show of their travels through the Grand Canyon by kayak, raft and on foot.

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